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Last Week for Poll Tax Payments. Seventy-six voters qualified yesterday for the coming primaries and the fall general election by paying their poll taxes. This will be the last week for poll tax payments in order to take part in any election, primary or general this year. The list closes next Saturday night—six months before the November general election. Throughout this week the office of City Treasurer Face will be open until 5 P. M. daily to accommodate the late-comers.

Ellington-Hiltner. Fredericksburg, Va., April 26.—Sterna Ellington, of Stafford County, and Miss Ada Hiltner, daughter of Mrs. Ella Hiltner, of Spotsylvania County, were married here at the home of the groom's sister, Mrs. Wellford Snellings, Rev. J. R. Jacobs, of the Methodist Church, performing the ceremony.

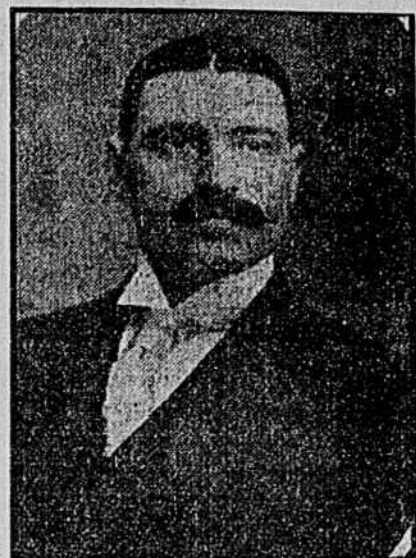
To Add More Looms. Gastonia, N. C., April 26.—The Ozark Mills, of this place, is erecting an additional three-story and basement brick building, by which will be added 10,000 spindles to the present equipment.

## CHEAP SKATE CALLED DOWN BY COUNCILMAN POLLOCK

Jumps at Fat Man in Pullman Car, Who Was Knocking Richmond, and Made Him Hold Up Hands and Beg for Mercy.

There are times when Councilman Gilbert K. Pollock feels absolutely at peace with the world, and then there are other times. One day, not so long ago, he met Councilman Morgan R. Mills in front of the Y. M. C. A. "We've got a great town, Gil," said the East End representative in the lower branch.

"The finest you ever put your lamps on, believe me, the finest," said Councilman Pollock. "And, do you know, Morgy,



GILBERT K. POLLOCK.

It makes me sick to think that there are people in this glorious community who do not believe that. You can't help it if outsiders proceed to knock, but I'd like to get my hands on them." Going up to New York on a Pullman train Thursday night, Councilman Pollock almost did that. The car was crowded.

The Councilman had dined well. Then he hopped into his motor car, raced to Elba and jumped aboard. He met a friend. "Come in and smoke a good seegar," he said, and together they walked into the smoking compartment.

There were no vacant seats. The Councilman leaned against the wash basin and puffed away. Three fat men who occupied the lounge were chattering. "Take it from me," said the fatest one, who sat in the middle, "this is a bum town we are leaving. Why, they talk about that Jefferson Hotel just as if it was a hotel. We wouldn't stand for it in my country. A punk town? Yes, but I should worry; I'm leaving it. And they really think it is a city—say, it's rotten."

Colonel Gil did not feel at peace with the world just then. He puffed madly at his cigar. The fat man screamed again as he proceeded to put on the high gear and the cuss words.

Throwing a real fine seegar on the floor, Colonel Gil hurled himself at the fat man.

"You are a contemptible liar," he shouted. "You are just a common cheap skate, you never looked inside the Jefferson. And you can't talk that way and lie about my town."

The fat man was startled. So was the man who was smoking Gil's fine seegar. But the fat man was not hunting trouble. He held his hands above his head, his fingers crossed, as he waved them. He tried to smile. "Don't hit me," he said. "Don't you see I'm waving two Confederate flags? You wouldn't hit a man when he is flying the Confederate colors, would you? For God's sake don't shoot in here. You might splinter that mirror, and it's bad luck."

The two men who had chimed in as an anvil chorus for the fat man agreed that Richmond was some town. "They don't serve you anywhere in the world better than they serve you at the Jefferson," remarked the fat man, whose hands were still waving above his head. "Never saw a finer town anywhere in the world."

"You are not only a cheap skate, but you are a coward," said Gilbert K. "And if you ever come to Richmond again, go to a first-class hotel; don't eat in a heany, and don't ever knock the place when you leave. Far is cheap. We'd not have to hunt feathers for you—we could just pluck them off your legs."

And before Gilbert K. could light another good seegar the fat man had launched forth into a warm defense of Ty Cobb's right to hold out.

## HIGH SCHOOL CONCERT

Orchestra Assisted by Trios and Solos. Renders Interesting Program. Several hundred persons attended the annual concert of the John Marshall High School orchestra in the High School auditorium last night, and were rewarded with an interesting program of instrumental and vocal music. The orchestra was assisted by the boys' trio, consisting of Forest Cubbon, Burgess Ramon and Coleman Andrews, and by the girls' trio, Misses Marjorie Harcum, Rosa Fisher and Alma Craddock. There were also solos by Misses Edna Schuman and Margaret Gordon.

The membership of the orchestra, which is directed by Leslie F. Watson, is as follows: First violin, Miss Isabel Fuller; Miss Elsie Fitzhugh; Forest Cubbon, Joseph Schaenman, Abe Hankins; second violins, Miss Rita Baker, Miss Elsie Satterfield, Ralph Roy, George George; third violin, Miss Elsie Haynes and Besie Johnson; cornets, Henry Jones and Phillip Snider; piano, Alice Satterfield and Caroline Pettus; triangle, Lawrence Peters.

## RUSSIA EXPECTS CRANE TO ACCEPT

Believes He Will Be Next Ambassador to Court at St. Petersburg.

[Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch.] St. Petersburg, April 26.—The Czar's State Department has raised a curious question in regard to the diplomatic relations between the United States and Russia in the Official Gazette. It stated that Ambassador Curtis Guild was received in a farewell audience by the Czar.

Nothing was said of the ambassador having presented letters of recall, although that is the term invariably employed when a diplomat accredited to the Czar takes leave. The explanation now given is that as there is no treaty between Russia and the United States, no letters of recall should be considered necessary.

As things are now, it appears President Wilson and Secretary of State Bryan need not equip the next ambassador with regular letters of credit, but merely with such an introduction to Secretary of State Sazonov as would enable the newcomer to ask for a meeting in case American interests were affected by an infringement of the most favored nation principle.

Accredited to the Czar. The difference is important in that an ambassador is accredited direct from his chief of state to a chief of state, whereas a minister is accredited only to the secretary of state.

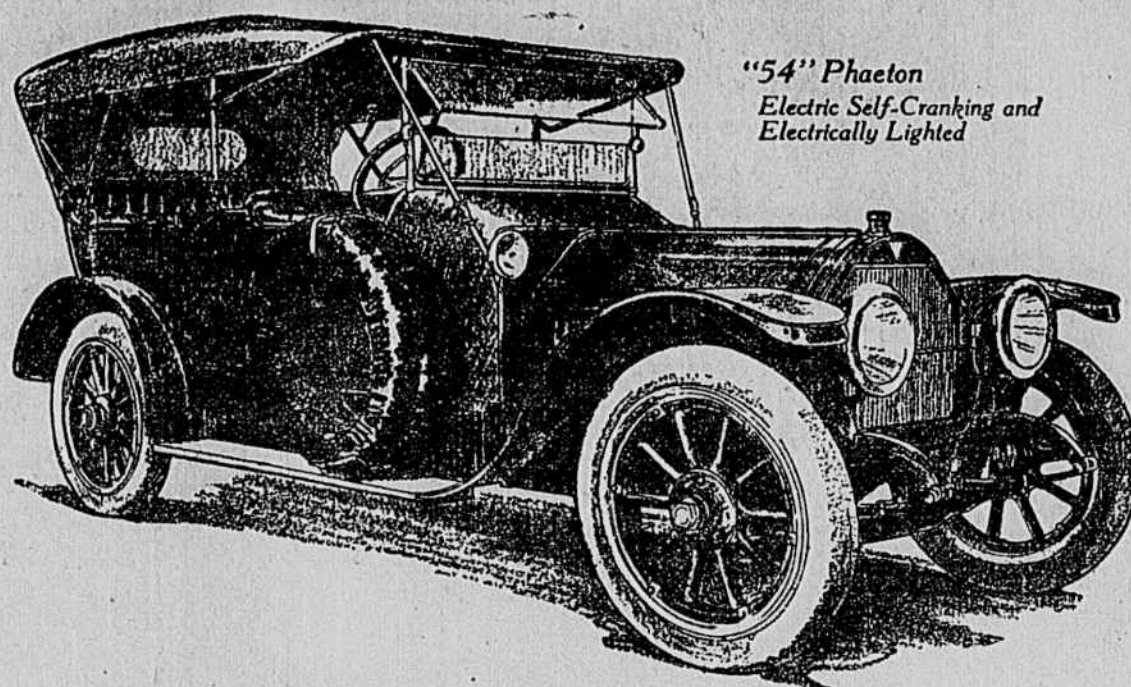
Thus, when President Roosevelt's direct proposal to the Czar for the ending of the Japanese war was made (through the then American ambassador, Mr. Meyer), he went direct to the Czar without any intermediary. Nothing of this kind now seems to be possible until some kind of treaty is negotiated which will place the ambassador in direct official relations to the Czar. The audience to Mr. Guild was only a personal courtesy, which he asked for.

It is accepted as settled here that Charles E. Crane, of Chicago, will be the next ambassador. It is reported in Russian society he is to bring with him his very amiable daughters, who are assured of a welcome because of his known strong friendship for the Slavs.

Two pastors of the American Presbyterian Church, the Rev. Alexander Taylor and the Rev. Charles Hill Dick, have received permission to visit a number of prisoners in European Russia in order to inform themselves first hand of the Russian penitentiary system.

The port police at Riga seized another consignment of Lithuanian newspapers imported from the United States, this time published at Boston. Grounds in the seizure is the ordinary one of incitement to overthrow the existing regime.

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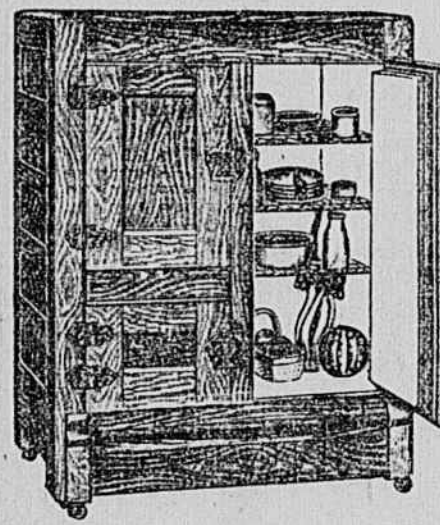
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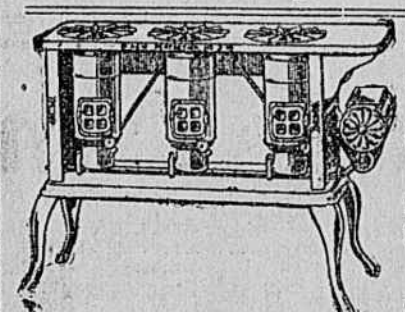
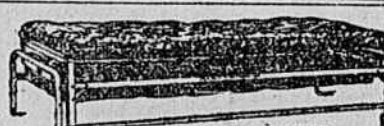


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## NEW CHURCH EDIFICE NEARS COMPLETION

Handsone Building of Raleigh Congregation Will Be Dedicated on All Saints' Day.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Raleigh, N. C., April 26.—All Saints' Day, which falls this year on November 1, is to be of particular significance in Raleigh this year because of the completion of the new church of the Church of the Good Shepherd on that date, a lovely Episcopal church that has been in process of construction for fourteen years, under the faithful leadership of Dr. I. McK. Pittinger, for twenty-one years rector of the parish. The church is of North Carolina granite, and is especially beautiful in design as well as unusually substantial in construction. It will

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Health Comes From Knowing How and What to Breathe.

Hardly a day passes without confirmation of the old adage, "Man's life is but a breath of air."

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memorial to her mother, Mrs. E. B. Sturgeon.

The receiving altar basin is unique, being the gift of guests at Fairfield Inn, Lake Toxaway, to Dr. Pittinger. It is of oak, with raised letters in olive wood, the design and workmanship being remarkable. There are numbers of handsome memorials that are to be moved into the new church from the present old frame building, which is to continue to do service as parish hall.

One of these memorials that has been in service for quite a while in the old church is a credence table of olive

Sunday Excursions Begin May 11th on Norfolk and Western.

On May 11th the Norfolk and Western Railway will begin the operation of the Every Sunday Excursions to Norfolk, which will be continued throughout the season. The fare will be \$1.50 round trip from Richmond to Norfolk and seashore points. Beginning on that date, and every Sunday thereafter, a fast special train will leave Byrd Street Station at 8:10 A. M., and leave Norfolk, returning, at 7:40 P. M. Excursion tickets will be sold for this train, and also for the Cannon Ball, leaving Richmond 9:00 A. M. and leaving Norfolk 4:15 P. M.—Advertisement.

wood, presented by the four rectors who have served the church in the past. There are in their order of service, Rev. Edward R. Rich, D. D., now dean of the Cathedral at Easton, Md.; Right Rev. Robert Strange, bishop of the Eastern Diocese of Carolina, and Rev. William M. Clark, D. D., of Richmond, and Dr. Pittinger.

Council Schedule.

The Council Committee on Streets will meet in regular session tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock with an unusually large docket of important matters pending. A subcommittee on the application of the Manchester Light, Heat and Power Company for an extension of franchise is called to meet at 4:30 o'clock.

The Committee on Ordinances will meet Tuesday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock at Hancock and Marshall Streets to inspect the site proposed for a stable by the T. and E. Laundry, to which there is some objection from the neighbors.

Other committees to meet this week for which the formal call has not yet been issued are the Committee on Annexation and a subcommittee on the opening of Grace Street through the Richmond College tract.

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